



United States Department of the Interior



BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT
UNCOMPAHGRE FIELD OFFICE
2465 South Townsend
Montrose, CO 81401
www.blm.gov/co/st/en/fo/ufo.html

In Reply Refer To:
3160 (CO-S050) 2015-029EA

June 18, 2015

Dear Interested Party,

The Bureau of Land Management Uncompahgre Field Office (BLM) in cooperation with the United States Forest Service Grand Mesa, Uncompahgre and Gunnison National Forests (GMUG) is accepting comments on a 5 pad/25 natural gas wells preliminary environmental assessment (PEA).

The PEA analyzes proposals by Gunnison Energy LLC and SG Interests I, Ltd to develop up to 25 Federal natural gas wells on 5 pads and includes associated access roads and pipelines for up to about 32 acres of surface use north of Somerset, Colorado, on a mix of both Federal and private surface. The PEA provides an environmental affects analysis including direct, indirect and cumulative impacts in compliance with both agencies' National Environmental Policy Act requirements.

To review the PEA and the associated documents go to:

http://www.blm.gov/co/st/en/BLM_Information/nepa/ufo.html

Written comments about this PEA must be received no later than **July 20, 2015** or within 30 days of publication of the legal notice of opportunity to comment in the *Grand Junction Daily Sentinel*, the GMUG's newspaper of record, whichever is later.

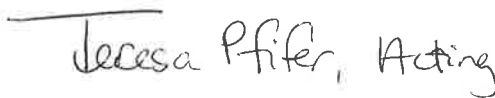
Send comments via mail, e-mail or fax to the Bureau of Land Management, Uncompahgre Field Office, Attn: Thane Stranathan, 2465 South Townsend Ave., Montrose, CO 81401, e-mail to blm_co_ufo3160@blm.gov or fax to (970) 240-5368.

While the agencies have combined the analysis and comment periods, both the BLM and GMUG will have separate decision processes. In order to obtain standing to object to the GMUG's decision on this project, comments must have been received during scoping earlier this spring or during this comment period. This is a Forest Service activity implementing a land management plan, not authorized under the HFRA, subject to the requirements of 36 CFR 218 A and B. The GMUG's Forest Supervisor, Scott Armentrout, will be the Authorized Officer on their decision.

Before including your address, phone number, e-mail address, or other personal identifying information in your comment, be advised that your entire comment -- including your personal identifying information -- may be made publicly available at any time. While you can ask us in your comment to withhold from public review your personal identifying information, we cannot guarantee that we will be able to do so.

For more information, contact the BLM Project Coordinator, Thane Stranathan, at 970-240-5300.

Sincerely,


for Barbara Sharrow
BLM Uncompahgre Field Manager

